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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

Applicant(s): Suryaputra**Application No.:** 09/930548**Filed:** 08/15/2001**Title:** System, Device and Method for Managing
Alternate Site Switching in a n Optical Communication
System**Group Art Unit:** 2667**Examiner:** Grey

Attorney Docket No.: 120-179 13767BA**Commissioner for Patents****P.O. Box 1450****Alexandria, VA 22313-1450****RESPONSE UNDER 37 CFR 1.111****Dear Sir:**

In response to the Office Action of May 3, 2005, please amend this application as follows: